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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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	As		Previously		Claims				Additional
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Independent Claims:	2.	-	5	=	0	x	\$200.00	=	\$0.00
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## **AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the final Office Action dated February 8, 2005, and the Advisory Action mailed May 23, 2005 concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: